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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notice dated 3rd December 1929.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, New Public Offices, Bangalore, for the making of the undermentioned uniforms for the use of the Forest Subordinates, out of the cloth to be supplied by the Department, according to approved samples, which will be open for inspection only in the Office Stores on any working day during office hours.

2. The tender should be in the form noted hereunder, superscribed "Tender for the making of uniforms," required for the use of the Mysore Forest Subordinates. The rate for each article or item should be distinctly written in words as well as in figures. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 250 in currency notes.

3. The tenders should reach the Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, not later than the 15th December 1929.

4. The Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, does not bind himself to accept or reject the lowest or any other tender or to assign reason therefor.

5. The deposit relating to rejected tenders, will be returned.

6. The successful tenderer will be required to execute immediately after the intimation of acceptance of the tender reaches him, an agreement in the required form on a stamped paper of proper value to be procured at his own cost, furnishing a personal security of Rs. 2,000 in addition to the sum of Rs. 250 furnished with the tender, which will be treated as cash security. If the tenderer fails to execute the agreement or to furnish the personal security or to duly fulfil the terms of the contract, as required above, the amount of deposit accompanying the tender will be forfeited and the contract cancelled.

7. Soon after the acceptance of the tender, the contractor should, in the presence of the undersigned, cut out of a cardboard, shapes of coats, trousers and caps of lengths to be prescribed in the bond. The said samples, will be kept in the Office Stores for purposes of check both on the issue of cloth and the receipts of the stitched suits. He is also required to cut out the cloth, in the office, with reference to the measurements of the cardboard samples.

8. In the event of breach of any of the conditions of the contract entered into by the tenderer, he and his surety will be made liable for all losses which may be sustained by the Department thereby, and they will not participate in any profit accruing thereby to the Department.—

800 or less number of Khaki drill and Khadder Jubbas for Forest Guards.
800 or less number of shorts for Forest Guards.
80 or less number of Khaki Drill coat and breaches for Range Officers similar to the pattern of Police Inspectors.
80 or less number of Khaki Drill coats and shorts for Foresters similar to the pattern of Police Sub-Inspectors.

The probable quantity of cloth required, for stitching uniforms for Rangers and Foresters and for Guards as per new patterns should be furnished separately.

NOTE.—(1) The Khaki coloured tape with which the uniforms used to be stitched hitherto has been done away with, but superior Khaki thread should be used for stitching uniforms.
(2) All the articles are to be delivered at the Chief Conservator's Office, New Public Office on the dates fixed.

FORM OF TENDER.

SIR,

I offer to make up the undermentioned uniforms noted in the printed notice of January 1929 at the rates noted against them, and agree to the conditions therein contained.

Enclosed herein currency notes of the marginally noted numbers to the value of Rs..... as earnest money.

Yours faithfully,
Signature.....
Address..... .....

Station..... .....
Date.....

B. V. RAMAIENGAR,
Chief Conservator of Forests.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 29th November 1929.

Under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, it is hereby notified for general information that one Toppale log measuring 11'-8" in length and 2'-3" in girth was found on 19th October 1929, in the Kolagondahalli District Jungle lying unclaimed. Any body claiming the right ownership of the timber may appear before the Range Officer, Kankanhalli and prove his ownership by means of documentary evidence, within one month from the date of this notification. After that date the timber shall be declared to be the property of Government under section 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

B. N. IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

SALE OF STANDING TIMBER.

Notification, dated 7th December 1929.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove timber in the undermentioned Amrut Mahal Kaval of the Hassan District during the year 1929-30, will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officer, Arsikere on the date and place and subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

The sale will commence at 2 P.M., precisely, and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, in case of bids of Rs. 500 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of working circle	Name of felling series	Kind of timber	Quantity in C. ft.	Place of sale	Date of sale	Distance from nearest Railway Station
Arsikere ..	Kanakatte, A. M. Kaval.	..	..	Jali ..	350	Kanakatte A. M. Kaval	25th December 1929.	....

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of timber from the coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Tangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All timber yielding trees marked by the department will be sold kindwar for a lump-sum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the Range Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount whichever is less for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself.

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the timber trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1930.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe.

(*c*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub, or growth reserved by the Department is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes, after 30th June 1930.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of the Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

Notification dated 7th December 1929.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of collection and transport of Honge seeds and leaves and the Thupra leaves, the former only from State Forests and Amrut Mahal Kavals, and the latter from all Government unoccupied land, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserve Lands and Plantations in the undermentioned Taluks for the years 1929-30 and 1929 to 31 respectively will be sold by public auction by the Range Officer of the Manjarabad Range on the dates and at places noted against each at 3 P.M., precisely on every day. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

1. No person will be allowed to bid unless he deposits with the sale conducting officer an earnest money in cash or currency note of Rs. 10 which in the case of all unsuccessful bidders will be duly returned after the close of the sale. No defaulters will be permitted to bid for.

2. The highest bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, pay up the one-fourth sale amount together with Local and Educational cesses on the entire sale amount at

Re. 0-1-0 and Re. 0-0-6 in the rupee inclusive of the initial deposit of Rs. 10 and shall further pay into Government Treasury the balance of the three-fourths of the sale amount within the sunset of the 15th day from the date of sale or if that day happens to be a Government holiday before the sunset of the next office day, failing which the sale will be cancelled and a resale will be held at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may accrue which will be recoverable as an arrear of Land Revenue under section 79 of the Forest Regulation but shall not participate in any profit that may result further all the money so far paid shall be forfeited to Government.

3. Within fifteen days from the date of confirmation of the sale the purchaser shall execute a Mutchalika on a duly stamped paper and shall further deposit in the Government Savings Bank an amount equal to one-fourth of the sale amount or Rs. 500 whichever is less duly pledged to the District Forest Officer. Failing to do this will also entail in the sale being cancelled and further action taken as per above said conditions.

4. The other conditions with generally be the same as those applicable in the case of the notification regarding the sale of Minor Forest Produce Lease except the payment of the sale amount which if deemed necessary will be explained at the time of sale.

	Taluk	Produce	Place of sale	Date of sale
1.	Manjarabad ...	Thupra leaves ... Honge seeds and leaves	Saklespur ...	25th December 1929.

Notification dated 7th December 1929.

It is hereby notified for general information that three dug-outs described hereunder will be sold by public auction by the Range Officer, Manjarabad Range, on the days noted against each of them :—

Description of dug-out	Measurement		Where lying	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
	Length.	Depth.				
Haiga ..	32'—10"	17"	Near the T. B. Saklespur.	Saklespur ...	25th December 1929	One is serviceable and the other unserviceable.
Do ..	26'—10"	15"				
Surahonne ..	32'—0"	17½"	Kemphole, 15 miles from Saklespur.	Kemphole..	26th December 1929	Unserviceable

The conditions of the sale are :—

(1) Earnest deposit of Rs. 25 must be paid to the sale conducting officer before the sale commences. This will be exempt in the case of Government Departments.

(2) The full sale amount less the earnest deposit must be paid in situ as soon as the property is knocked down to the highest bidder ; otherwise the earnest deposit will be forfeited and the bab resold.

(3) The sale is subject to the confirmation either by the District Forest Officer Hassan, or the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, as the case may be.

(4) The property should be removed in a month after the confirmation of the sale is communicated to the party.

(5) The decision of the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, shall be final in all matters pertaining to this sale.

MAHOMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 5th December 1929.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting tupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations from the date of confirmation of the sale up to the end of June 1932

will be sold talukwar by public auction for three years at the place and date noted below by the Forest Sub-Division Officer, Shikarpur :—

Name of Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Sorab ...	Anvatty ...	28th December 1929, Saturday.	The sale will be held for three years from the date of the confirmation order of the sale up to the end of June 1932.

N.B.—(*a*) Government have reserved their power of issuing individual licenses for *bona fide* local consumers.

(*b*) Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as village forests.

1. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous lease will not be permitted to bid.

3. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer conducting the sale, a sum of Rs. 50. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

4. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk Treasury one-fourth sale amount (exclusive of the deposit amount already paid) together with Local Cess at one anna per rupee, Railway Cess at three pies per rupee and Education Cess at six pies per rupee on the entire sale amount. In default of payment the deposit already paid will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by such resale but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue.

6. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount will be refunded.

7. The accepted bidder shall pay another one-fourth of the sale amount within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale and execute an agreement binding himself to pay the balance of the sale amount before the 15th January 1930 and binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited, and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are.—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The lessee, his agent or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forest in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*e*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the forests, all produce collected under the terms of the lease before the 30th June 1932.

(*f*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

8. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 25 which will be recovered as an arrear of revenue.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification, dated 5th December 1929.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following Depots by the District Forest Officer, on the dates noted against each :—

Name of depot	Date of sale	Nandi square C. ft.	Mathi square C. ft.	Hunal square C. ft.	Honne square C. ft.	Hebbalasu square C. ft.	Teak round and square C.ft.	Other kinds C. ft,	Remarks
1. Shakunavalli ..	26th December 1929, Thirsday.	100	..	50	..	..	2,500	250	More or less
2. Anavatti ..	27th December 1929, Friday.	100	100	100	..	..	1,000	250	
3. Shiralkoppa ..	30th December 1929, Monday.	1.500	250	200	500	200	800	1,200	

N.B.—The sale will be continued on the morning of the next day, in case, if it is not possible to complete it on the date notified.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale, but defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof, will be accepted if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted upon.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000 in each case, are subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases, to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer, for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of notice of the confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. In case of purchases of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000 provided the full value is paid not later than 30th May 1930. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government.

and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for, shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, excluding the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the Depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber, until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

Notification dated 29th October 1929.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (Avaram) bark (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests from 1st July 1929 to 30th June 1931, in the undermentioned Taluks, so as to reach the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, not later than 12 noon, on the 25th December 1929.

Sagar	Sorab	Nagar

Remarks.—Includes produce on all Government unoccupied Lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

2. Each tender should be superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Tangadi and Kakke Barks" and should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenderers. Each tenderer should produce a solvency certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides, in regard to his solvency.

3. Tenders from defaulters on account of previous leases will not be accepted.

4. The highest tenderer shall ordinarily be the purchaser.

5. The Chief Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the right to accept or reject the highest or any other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The names of accepted tenderers will be put up on the Notice Board of the Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, and this must be accepted as sufficient intimation of the fact.

7. Within three days of the acceptance of tender, the purchaser shall credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit of Rs. 200 together with local, railway and other cesses, *on the full lease amount* at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the right resold either by auction sale or inviting tenders. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. Within three days of the notice of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall execute an agreement at one for each unit with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer of the District concerned on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost, and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each unit, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required

security or both, the contract will be cancelled, all the moneys already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold either by auction sale or inviting tenders, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. After executing the agreement and furnishing the security, the successful tenderer shall before entering on the collection of the bark, obtain from the District Forest Officer a permit in the prescribed form authorising him to commence the bark collection.

N.B.—(*i*) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(*ii*) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

9. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in three equal instalments at intervals of four months as follows:—

1st instalment on or before 1st November 1929.
2nd do do 1st March 1930.
3rd do on the 1st July 1930 or the next working day if 1st July 1930, is a general holiday.

10. In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law for the time being in force. Interest at 9 per cent per annum will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

11. No concession of any kind will be shown to the contractor for loss on any account.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are:—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself, responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and officers of the Revenue and Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer in the prescribed form an account of the number of cart-loads of tangadi and kakke barks, collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(*i*) Forest forms approved in Government Order No. G. 6119-21—Ft. 178-28-2, dated 20th November 1928, shall be used.

(*ii*) Unused licenses and books remaining with the lessee on 31st July 1931, shall be returned to the District Forest Officer and before the lessee claims the refund of the security deposit.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*j*) They will also be liable under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

They shall remove out of the limits of the District before the 31st July 1931, all bark collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee or sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests, during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*n*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

12. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and in the case of the cancellation of the lease, the right will be resold, the lessee not being entitled to moneys already paid by him or for the subsequent excess realisations by resale, the deficit if any, that may result from such resale being recovered from him as an arrear of land revenue.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated 25th *November* 1929.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed tender notification dated 25th November 1929, published on pages 1398 and 1399 Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 5th December 1929, regarding the sale of small bamboos of Lakvalli and Tyagadabagi State Forests for the year 1929-30.

Abstract Notification, dated 23rd *November* 1929.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 23rd November 1929, published on pages 1398 and 1398, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 5th December 1929, regarding the tender sale of the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke barks of Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk of the Division for the years 1929-31.

Notification, dated 26th November 1929.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, till 4 P.M. on Monday the 23rd December 1929, for the supply of the following kinds and quantities of rations to the departmental elephants working in the Division, commencing from the 1st January 1930 to the end of December 1930.

2. The approximate quantity of rations is as follows:—

Paddy	...	...	.. 900 pallas	More or less
Salt	...	...	... 6 ,,	
Castor oil	...	...	... 50 maunds	

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, as earnest money and be superscribed as "Tender for the supply of Rations to Elephants."

4. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatsoever for rejection of the same.

5. The name of the successful tenderer will be notified in due course on the notice board of the District Forest Office, Bhadravati Division, and the tenderer should, within a week of the intimation thereof enter into an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract duly furnishing a cash security deposit of Rs. 200 in the Government Treasury inclusive of the amount of earnest money already paid. In default to execute the bond and to furnish security deposit, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

6. The tenderer should supply the rations in time and at the appointed places to the Range Officer and should also be prepared to remove and replace all provisions which may be rejected by the Range Officers. In case he fails to do so the supply will be made by the department and all extra charges will have to be borne by the contractor himself which will be recovered from the security deposit.

7. Once in a month, the tenderer will be paid through the Sub-Assistant Conservator for the value of the rations that may be supplied during the month on a bill to be prepared and sent to his office for sanction along with the receipts previously obtained by him for the supply of rations to the Range Officers after the bill is countersigned by the District Forest Officer.

8. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned to them immediately if they happen to be present at the time of opening of tenders, and to others, by post at their cost.

9. In all cases of disputes concerning the contract, the decision of the Conservator of Forests will be treated as final.

FORM OF TENDER.

Serial No.	Name of provision	Quantity	Rate	Remarks

Notification, dated 30th November 1929.

Notice is hereby given under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation that the timber described below in the Schedule is lying unclaimed in the places noted against each. Persons having any right to this timber may present a written statement of their claims to the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, within one month from the date of publication of this notification and establish the same to the satisfaction of the above officer, failing which, the ownership of the timber shall vest in Government under section 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

Schedule.

Sl. No.	Place	Kind	No.	Quantity in C.ft.	Ramarks
	BHADRAVATI SUB-DIVISION.				
1	Padasale Puttanna's land, Ajjihalli.	Teak ..	1	4¾ ..	In the custody of Rangappa the Patel of the Village.
2	Village site of Annapura ..	Do ..	9	44½ ..	In the custody of the Patels of the Villages.
3	Do Ajjihalli ..	Do ..	4	17½ ..	
	NARASIMHARAJAPURA SUB-DIVISION.				
4	Madakatte Tank in Kadokal District Forest.	Teak piece ..	1	11¼ ..	In the custody of Mr. Venkat Rao, Nadig, Kuskur Village.
	LAKKAVALLI SUB-DIVISION.				
5	Land of the Meetya Naik of Mudugundi, Amritapur hobli.	Teak poles ..	2	18 ..	In the custody of Mallappa, Patel of Hunseghatta.

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated 3rd December 1929.

Attention of the public is invited to notice calling for sealed tenders for constructing dry stone revetment to the storm water drain in Kitchatty Chattram road from Central College Hospital compound to road by the side of Mr. C. V. Narasimha Iyengar's house, published on pages 1417 and 1418 of part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 5th December 1929.

Last date for receiving tenders is 16th December 1929.

H. R. VENKATASUBBA RAO,
Executive Engineer.

WATER SUPPLY DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Notice, dated 3rd December 1929.

1. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Division, up to 4 P.M. of 20th December 1929 for carting from time to time about 3,000 bags of Sulphate of Alumina, each bag weighing about two cwts. (1) from the City Railway Station to the Stores of this office, (2) from the Stores to the Combined Jewel Filters, Malleswaram, Bangalore City, (3) from the City Railway Station to Combined Jewel Filters, Bangalore City, for the period from the 1st January 1930 to 31st December 1930.